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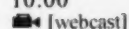


Official meetings

General Assembly

Seventy-second session

10:00



106th plenary meeting

Conference
Room 2

Organization of work adoption of the agenda and allocation of items - Item 7

Election of fifteen members of the Human Rights Council - Item 114 (d)

Election of 1 member(s) of the Human Rights Council: by-election

Item 7 – to reopen sub-item (d) of agenda item 114

Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects - Item 55

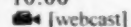
A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 3 July 2018, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Documents: A/72/924 and A/72/449/Add.1

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Security Council

10:00



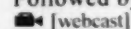
8309th meeting

Security Council
Chamber

Adoption of the agenda

The situation in the Central African Republic

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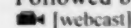
8310th meeting

Security Council
Chamber

Adoption of the agenda

Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan

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8311th meeting

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11:00 to 13:00 Informal consultations
(closed) Trusteeship
Council
Chamber

On the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration

Member States, observers, United Nations entities and stakeholders accredited to the preparatory process are invited to attend.

A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 29 June 2018, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Additional information is available on the website of the Global Compact.

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Link: Website

Contact: SCAD SCSB (S-2472);
dpa-scsb3@un.org; 212-963-5258

10:00 Informal consultations
(closed) Economic
and Social
Council
Chamber

13:00 Informal consultations
(closed) Economic
and Social
Council
Chamber

15:00 Informal consultations
(closed) Conference
Room 9

On the draft political declaration for the high-level meeting on the fight against tuberculosis, in accordance with operative paragraph 6 of General Assembly resolution 72/268

15:00 Informal consultations
(closed) Economic
and Social
Council
Chamber

Aimed at enhancing synergies and coherence and reducing overlap where it is found to exist in the agendas of the General Assembly, the Economic and Social Council and their subsidiary bodies, as well as the high-level political forum on sustainable development and other related forums, in light of the adoption of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 71/323

Link: Letter

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General Assembly

Seventy-second session

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Closure of the session	

Security Council**Military Staff Committee**

11:00 to 13:00	1912th meeting (closed)	Conference Room 8
	The situation in Libya (UNSMIL)	

Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999), 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities

15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 7
	Briefing by the Monitoring Team on its bi-annual report	
	Recommendations contained in the Monitoring Team's report	
	Review of 1267 Committee pending matters (Holds List)	
	Briefing on Secretariat support	
	Other matters	

Economic and Social Council

2018 session

**High-level political forum on sustainable development
convened under the auspices of
the Economic and Social Council**

10:00 to 13:00	13th meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 4
	Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies - Item 2	
	Review of Sustainable Development Goals 6, 7, 11, 12, 15 and 17 - Item 2 (a)	

Sustainable Development Goal 15

Interactive panel discussion

14:30 to 16:30

14th meeting [webcast]

Conference Room 4

Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies - Item 2

Review of Sustainable Development Goals 6, 7, 11, 12, 15 and 17 - Item 2 (a)

Sustainable Development Goal 17

Interactive panel discussion

16:30 to 19:00

15th meeting [webcast]

Conference Room 4

Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies - Item 2

Interactive panel discussion

Wrap-up session

Statement: President of the Economic and Social Council (Czech Republic)

Statement: Under-Secretary-General for Economic and Social Affairs

Open to all Member States of the United Nations and States members of specialized agencies, as well as the major groups and other relevant stakeholders.

Additional information is available on the website of the High-level political forum on sustainable development convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council.

Detailed information is also available in the online Information Note for Participants.

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For further details, please contact: Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA).

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Inscriptions on the list of speakers will close by 17:00, on 13 July 2018.

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Links:

Website

More Info

Information Note for Participants

Secondary passes

Provisional programme

Side Events

e-deleGATE Portal

PaperSmart

Contacts: Department of Economic and Social Affairs - Ms. Ling Wang (wang24@un.org); Office of the Secretary of ECOSOC, DGACM – Ms. Yasmine Laabas (List of speakers) laabas@un.org; Office of the Secretary of ECOSOC, DGACM – Ms. Cassandra Price-Taveras (List of participants) pricec@un.org

11:30 to 13:00

Informal consultations (closed)

Conference Room C

Review and coordination of the implementation of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the Decade 2011-2020 - Item 11 (b)

On the draft resolution

Documents: E/2018/L.13 and A/73/70-E/2018/58

Link: e-deleGATE Portal

15:00 to 18:00

Informal consultations (closed)

Conference Room C

Geospatial information - Item 18 (i)

Convened by the Vice-President of the Economic and Social Council (Saint Vincent and the Grenadines)

On the draft rules of procedure of the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names

Link: e-deleGATE Portal

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Seventy-second session

Monday, 16 July 2018

10:00

Informal informal consultations (closed)

Conference Room 9

On the draft of the political declaration in preparation for a comprehensive review of the progress achieved in the prevention and control of non-communicable diseases

Monday, 16 July 2018

11:00

Informal informal consultations (closed)

Conference Room 1

On a political declaration for adoption at the opening of the plenary meeting of the Nelson Mandela Peace Summit

Monday, 16 July 2018

15:00

Informal interactive dialogue  [webcast]

Economic and Social Council Chamber

15:00

Opening segment

15:15

Panel discussion

16:00

Interactive discussion

The President of the General Assembly will convene a high-level interactive dialogue on sand and dust storms, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 72/225.

Additional information is available on the website of the Office of the President of the General Assembly.

There will be no list of speakers prepared in advance, and Member States are encouraged to engage in an interactive dialogue with the panellists.

In order to provide for maximum participation, interventions will be limited to *three minutes (five minutes for groups)*.

Representatives from civil society will be given the floor, time permitting.

Letters from the President of the General Assembly, dated 25 April 2018 and 29 June 2018, were sent to all permanent representatives.

Link: Website

Contact: Claudia Gross (claudia.gross@un.org; 917-367-5826)

Wednesday, 18 July 2018

10:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
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Friday, 20 July 2018

10:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
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15:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
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On the draft of the political declaration in preparation for a comprehensive review of the progress achieved in the prevention and control of non-communicable diseases

**Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the
Work of the General Assembly**

Monday, 16 July 2018

10:00	Informal informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 11
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Open-ended Working Group on Ageing**Ninth working session****Monday, 23 July 2018**

10:00 to 13:00	Open meeting	Conference Room 4
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15:00 to 18:00	Open meeting	Conference Room 4
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Open-ended Working Group on Ageing

The list of speakers for the general discussion is open.

Intergovernmental organizations, entities that have observer status with the General Assembly, United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe with the list of speakers are requested to contact the secretariat in writing.

Inscriptions on the list of speakers will close by 17:00, on 19 July 2018.

Members, as well as observers, are requested to register the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers through the e-List of Participants module on the e-deleGATE portal.

Additional information is available on the website of the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing.

Document: A/AC.278/2018/1 (to be issued).

Links: e-deleGATE Portal

e-Speaker

Website

<https://social.un.org/ageing-working-group/ninthsession.shtml>

Contact: Mr. Gerard Cianciulli (Inscription with the list of speakers)
(cianciulli@un.org).

General Assembly Security Council

Peacebuilding Commission Twelfth session

Monday, 16 July 2018

10:00 to 13:00

Informal consultations (at the ambassadorial level)

Conference Room 5

Organizational Committee

Economic and Social Council

2018 session

Monday, 16 July 2018

10:00 to 13:00

Informal consultations (closed)

Conference Room C

Geospatial information – Item 18 (i)

Convened by the Vice-President of the Economic and Social Council (Saint Vincent and the Grenadines)

On the draft rules of procedure of the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names

Link: e-deleGATE Portal

Summary of official meetings

Wednesday, 11 July 2018

Economic and Social Council

2018 session

High-level political forum on sustainable development convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council

 [archived video]

9th meeting

Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies: Review of Sustainable Development Goals 6, 7, 11, 12, 15 and 17 - Item 2 (a)

Discussion on "Make cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable – SDG 11"

The Vice-President of the Council (Belgium) opened the meeting and made a statement. Presentations were made by the representative of the Sustainable Development Goal Monitoring Section in the Statistics Division, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, and the United Nations Special Rapporteur on adequate housing, Ms. Leilani Farha.

The discussion was moderated by Mr. Rohit Aggarwala, Professor of Professional Practice in International and Public Affairs at Columbia University, who made a statement.

The forum heard the statements by the following panellists: Ms. Penny Abeywardena, Commissioner in the Mayor's Office for International Affairs of New York City, United States; Mr. Jean Todt, the Secretary-General's Special Envoy for Road Safety; Ms. Maimunah Mohd Sharif, Executive Director of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme; and Ms. Meera AlShaikh, Project Manager of Smart Dubai in the United Arab Emirates, and member of the SDG 11 Global Council.

Statements were also made by the following lead discussants: Mr. Wim Dries, Mayor of the city of Genk and President of the Flemish Association of Local Councils of Belgium, and Ms. Shaila Shahid, Coordinator for Gender and Climate Change of the International Centre for Climate Change and Development, a women's major group.

An interactive discussion ensued and statements were made by the representatives of India, Mexico, Thailand, Austria, Brazil, Turkey, Guatemala, Kenya, Israel, South Africa, the Netherlands, Sierra Leone, Switzerland, Romania, the Russian Federation, Bahrain, Norway, Estonia, Algeria, Indonesia, the Czech Republic, the European Union, Morocco, Finland, Jamaica, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, the State of Palestine and Mauritania; as well as the representatives of the International Telecommunication Union, the International Union for Conservation of Nature, the International Fund for Agricultural Development (also on behalf of the other Rome-based agencies, the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations and the World Food Programme), the United Nations Environment Programme, the International Atomic Energy Agency and the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, and the following major groups and other stakeholders: scientific and technological community, children and youth, volunteers, indigenous peoples, persons with disabilities, workers and trade unions.

The panellists made concluding remarks.

Organization of work

The Vice-President of the Council (Belgium) made a statement.

Thursday, 12 July 2018

Security Council

 [archived video]

8308th meeting (closed)

Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police- contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus

The Security Council met in private. At the close of the meeting, the following communiqué was issued by the Secretary General in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Council:

"On 12 July 2018, the Security Council, pursuant to annex II, sections A and B of resolution 1353 (2001), held its 8157th meeting in private with the troop- and police contributing countries to the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus.

"The President invited Ms. Elizabeth Spehar, Special Representative and Head of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

"The Security Council and the troop- and police-contributing countries heard a briefing by Ms. Spehar.

"Members of the Council, Ms. Spehar and representatives of participating contributing countries had an exchange of views."

General Assembly

Seventy-second session

Committee on Relations with the Host Country

288th meeting

The Chairman made a statement.

Host Country activities: activities to assist Member States of the United Nations community

Statements were made by the representative of United States as well as by the observer of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea.

Other matters

Statements were made by the representatives of Cuba, the Russian Federation and the United States, as well as by the observer of the Syrian Arab Republic.

The Chairman made a statement.

Economic and Social Council

2018 session

High-level political forum on sustainable development convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council

 [archived video]

10th, 11th and 12th meetings

The summaries of the 10th, 11th and 12th meetings of the High-level political forum on sustainable development convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council will appear in the next issue of the Journal (No. 2018/135).

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 71/323, material published under the sections below is available in *English and French only*.

Other meetings

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Friday, 13 July 2018**Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)**

10:00 to 13:00 Closed meeting Conference Room B

Workshop entitled "Behavioral Insights Towards the Implementation of Sustainable Development Goals (SDG)" (organized by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR))

10:00 to 13:00 Conference Room E

Contact: Mr. Pelayo Alvarez (pelayo.alvarez@unitar.org; 212-963-9196)

Meeting on the "Inter-agency Task Force on Financing for Development (IATF) on the Financing for Sustainable Development Report: Progress and Prospects 2018" (A/RES/72/208) (organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

13:15 to 14:30 Trusteeship Council Chamber

Link: Website; More Info

Contact: Mr. Peter Chowla (chowla@un.org; 212-963-8618)

Roundtable entitled "Towards Sustaining Peace through Participation of All: Synergies of a cross-pillar approach to Peace and Security, Agenda 2030 and Human Rights" (A/RES/70/304) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of the Czech Republic, the Slovak Republic and the Republic of Slovenia)

13:15 to 14:30 Closed Conference Room 11

Contact: Mr. Stefan Stanko (stazista.smnewyork1@mzv.sk)

Press conferences

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

For the complete list of press conferences, please click on the link below
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Forthcoming other meetings

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Arab Group (at the ambassadorial level)

Friday, 16 July 2018

15:00 to 18:00

Closed meeting

Conference Room A

Event on the occasion of the "World Youth Skills Day 2018" (15 July) (A/RES/69/145), entitled "Youth Skills for Sustainability and Innovation" (co-organized by the Office of the Secretary-General Special Envoy on Youth, the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO), the International Labour Organization (ILO), the Permanent Missions of Portugal and Sri Lanka)

Monday, 16 July 2018

15:00 to 18:00

Conference Room 1

Contact: Ms. Lily Gray (l.gray@unesco.org)

Panel discussion on "Twentieth anniversary of the Rome Statute: the need for universality and the International Criminal Court's jurisdiction over the crime of aggression" (A/RES/71/253) (at the ministerial level) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Argentina, Austria, Belgium, Costa Rica, Cyprus, the Gambia, Liechtenstein, the Netherlands, the Republic of Korea, Senegal, Slovakia, Slovenia, the State of Palestine, Switzerland and Uruguay, and the Coalition for the ICC and Parliamentarians for Global Action)

Tuesday, 17 July 2018

19:00 to 19:30

Conference Room 2

Contact: Mr. Sina Alavi (sa@nyc.llv.li).

United Nations Office of Counter-Terrorism (UNOCT), Quarterly Briefing to Member States, followed by Briefing on the Sixteenth Meeting of the Advisory Board of the United Nations Counter-Terrorism Centre (UNCCT) (A/RES/72/284)

Tuesday, 17 July 2018

15:00 to 18:00

Closed meeting

Conference Room 2

Event entitled "Measuring Progress Towards Target 8.7" (A/RES/70/1) (organized by the United Nations University)

Thursday, 19 July 2018

10:00 to 13:00

Conference Room 5

15:00 to 18:00

Conference Room 5

Contact: Ms. Alexandra Cerquone (cerquone@unu.edu)

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Seventy-second session

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15:00 Informal interactive dialogue Economic and Social Council Chamber
[webcast]

15:00 Opening segment

15:15 Panel discussion

16:00 Interactive discussion

The President of the General Assembly will convene a high-level interactive dialogue on sand and dust

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Security Council

10:00 8312th meeting Security Council Chamber
[webcast]

Adoption of the agenda

The situation in Libya

Followed by Consultations of the whole (closed) Consultations Room

UNSMIL

Libya sanctions

Other matters

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Seventy-second session

Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the Work of the General Assembly

10:00

Informal informal consultations (closed)

Conference Room 11

General Assembly Security Council

Peacebuilding Commission

Twelfth session

10:00 to 13:00

Informal consultations (at the ambassadorial level)

Conference Room 5

Organizational Committee

Security Council

Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations

Ad Hoc Working Group on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa

Joint meeting

15:00 to 16:30

Closed meeting

Conference Room 7

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2048 (2012) concerning Guinea Bissau

16:30 to 18:00

Closed

Conference Room 7

Briefing by the Chair on the visit to

Guinea

Guinea-Bissau

Discussions on the sanctions regime

Other matters

Economic and Social Council

2018 session

09:00 to 10:00

44th plenary meeting  [webcast]

Conference Room 4

High-level segment - Item 5

Ministerial meeting of the high-level political forum on sustainable development, convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council - Item 5 (a)

Opening statements by:

President of the Economic and Social Council (Czech Republic)

President of the General Assembly (Slovakia)

Deputy Secretary-General of the United Nations

United Nations Secretary-General's Envoy on Youth

Keynote address

15:35 to 18:00
(in parallel)

45th plenary meeting  [webcast]

Trusteeship Council Chamber

High-level segment - Item 5

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Introduction of reports

General debate

Please see link to provisional list of speakers

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**High-level political forum on sustainable development
convened under the auspices of
the Economic and Social Council**

10:00 to 11:30

16th meeting [webcast]

Conference Room 4

Ministerial meeting of the high-level political forum on sustainable development,
convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council – Item 5 (a)

Voluntary national reviews

Panel presentations

Ecuador

Kiribati

Lithuania

Mali

Interactive discussion

11:30 to 14:00

17th meeting [webcast]

Conference Room 4

Ministerial meeting of the high-level political forum on sustainable development,
convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council – Item 5 (a)

Voluntary national reviews

Individual presentations

Greece

Interactive discussion

Guinea

Interactive discussion

Mexico

Interactive discussion

United Arab Emirates

Interactive discussion

15:00 to 15:35
(in parallel)

18th meeting [webcast]

Trusteeship Council Chamber

Ministerial meeting of the high-level political forum on sustainable development,
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Reporting on regional forums

Address by the President of the United Nations Environment Assembly

15:30 to 18:30
(in parallel)

18th meeting [webcast]

Conference Room 4

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Voluntary national reviews**Panel presentations****Benin****Cabo Verde****Interactive discussion****Individual presentations****Bahrain****Interactive discussion****Colombia****Interactive discussion****Slovakia****Interactive discussion****Viet Nam****Interactive discussion**

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10:00 to 13:00

Informal consultations (closed)

Conference Room C

Geospatial information – Item 18 (i)

Convened by the Vice-President of the Economic and Social Council (Saint Vincent and the Grenadines)

On the draft rules of procedure of the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names

Link: e-deleGATE Portal

Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations

15:00 to 18:00

Informal consultations (closed)

Conference Room 9

Participation in the informal consultations is open to members of the Committee only.

All members of the Committee are strongly encouraged to attend.

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Seventy-second session

Wednesday, 18 July 2018

10:00

Informal consultations (closed)

Conference Room 5

Friday, 20 July 2018

10:00

Informal consultations (closed)

Conference Room 5

15:00

Informal consultations (closed)

Conference Room 5

On the draft of the political declaration in preparation for a comprehensive review of the progress achieved in the prevention and control of non-communicable diseases

Open-ended Working Group on Ageing

Ninth working session

Monday, 23 July 2018

10:00 to 13:00

Open meeting

Conference Room 4

15:00 to 18:00

Open meeting

Conference Room 4

Open-ended Working Group on Ageing

The list of speakers for the general discussion is open.

Intergovernmental organizations, entities that have observer status with the General Assembly, United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe with the list of speakers are requested to contact the secretariat in writing.

Inscriptions on the list of speakers will close by 17:00, on 19 July 2018.

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Additional information is available on the website of the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing.

Document: A/AC.278/2018/1 (to be issued).

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Website

<https://social.un.org/ageing-working-group/ninthsession.shtml>

Contact: Mr. Gerard Cianciulli (Inscription with the list of speakers) (cianciulli@un.org).

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf

Forty-seventh session

Monday, 6 August 2018

10:00

Closed meeting

Conference Room 6

There will be closed meetings of the subcommissions established by the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf from Monday, 16 July to Friday, 3 August 2018, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, at the Geographic Information System laboratories of the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea (DC2 Building, 4th Floor).

Economic and Social Council

2018 session

Tuesday, 17 July 2018

15:00 to 18:00

Informal consultations (closed)

Conference Room C

Geospatial information – Item 18 (i)

Convened by the Vice-President of the Economic and Social Council (Saint Vincent and the Grenadines)

On the draft rules of procedure of the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names

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Summary of official meetings

Thursday, 12 July 2018

Economic and Social Council

2018 session

High-level political forum on sustainable development convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council

 [archived video]

10th meeting

Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies: Thematic review
- Item 2 (b)

The Vice-President of the Council (South Africa), opened the meeting and made a statement.

Discussion on "Implementing the SDGs: Lessons from the regions"

The forum heard statements by the following panellists: Ms. Vera Songwe, Executive Secretary of the Economic Commission for Africa; Mr. Mohamed Ali Alhakim, Under-Secretary-General and Executive Secretary of the Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia; Ms. Olga Algayerova, Executive Secretary of the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe; Mr. Kaveh Zahedi, Deputy Executive Secretary for Sustainable Development of the United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific; and Ms. Alicia Bárcena, Executive Secretary of the Economic Commission for Latin America and Caribbean, who also moderated the discussion, as well as by the following lead discussants: Ms. Tatyana Valovaya, Member of the Board of the Eurasian Economic Commission; and Ms. Alma Sinumlag, Programme Officer, Cordillera Women Education and Action Research Center (Asia-Pacific Regional Civil Society Mechanism).

An interactive discussion ensued during which the panellists responded to comments made and questions posed by the representatives of Belarus, the Islamic Republic of Iran, the State of Palestine, Chile, Sweden, Mexico, Senegal, Togo, Morocco,

Mauritania, Georgia, European Union, Lebanon, Iraq, Viet Nam, Israel, South Africa, Uganda, Lesotho; as well as the representatives of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme and the following major groups: children and youth; and workers and trade unions.

The Vice-President of the Council (South Africa) made a statement.

11th meeting

The Vice-President of the Council (South Africa) opened the meeting.

Thematic review on "Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies – Perspectives of society: Session organized with major groups and other stakeholders"

The discussion was moderated by Ms. Luisa Emilia Reyes Zuñiga, Program Director for Policies and Budgets of Equality and Sustainable Development, Gender Equity: Citizenship, Work and Family, and Co-Chair of the High-level Political Forum Coordination Mechanism (Women's Major Group), who also made a statement.

The forum heard the presentations by the following panellists: Ms. Haydee Rodriguez, Executive Director for Unión de Cooperativas de Mujeres Productoras "Las Brumas" (Sendai Stakeholders); Mr. Ruben Zondervan, Executive Director for the Earth System Governance Project, Lund University, Sweden (Science and Technology Major Group); and Ms. Jolly Amatya, Secretariat of the United Nations Major Group for Children and Youth; as well as by the following lead discussants: Mr. Vitalice Meja, Coordinator/CPDE Co-Chair, Reality of Aid Network Africa (FFD civil society group); and Mr. Berry Vrbanovic, Mayor of Kitchener, Canada (local authorities major group).

An interactive discussion ensued, during which the panellists responded to comments made and questions posed by the representatives of Norway, Mexico, the European Union and France; and representatives of following major groups: indigenous peoples, non-governmental organizations, women, workers and trade unions; and the other stakeholders group on ageing; persons with disabilities; education and academia; and the Asia Pacific Regional CSO Engagement Mechanism.

The representative of the major group on children and youth also made concluding remarks, on behalf of Ms. Jolly Amatya.

Organization of work

The Vice-President of the Council (South Africa) made a statement.

12th meeting

The Vice-President of the Council (Saint Vincent and the Grenadines), opened the meeting and made a statement.

Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies: Review of Sustainable Development Goals 6, 7, 11, 12, 15 and 17 - Item 2 (a)

The forum resumed its consideration of the item.

Discussion on SDG 12 "Ensure sustainable consumption and production patterns"

Statements were made by representative of the Sustainable Development Goal Monitoring Section in the Statistics Division of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs, and by the Secretary-General's Special Envoy for the Ocean, Mr. Peter Thomson, who delivered a keynote address.

The discussion was moderated by the Assistant Secretary-General for Economic Development and Chief Economist in the Department of Economic and Social Affairs, who made a statement.

The forum heard presentations by the following panellists: Ms. Nur Rahayu, Director of Forestry and Conservation of Water Resources, Ministry of National Development Planning, Indonesia; Ms. Petra Bayr, Chair, Sustainable Development Committee, Parliament of Austria; Ms. Jane Nyakang'o, President, African Roundtable on Sustainable Consumption and Production; and Mr. Ulf Jaeckel, Head of Division, Federal Ministry for the Environment, Germany; as well as by the following lead discussants: Ms. Amy Luers, Executive Director of Future Earth; and Mr. Julius H. Cainglet, Vice-President for Research, Advocacy and Partnerships of the Federation of Free Workers.

An interactive discussion ensued, during which the panellists responded to comments made and questions posed by the representatives of the European Union, Finland, Israel, Turkey, Kenya, Romania, Mexico, Norway, France, Italy, Switzerland, Sweden, Denmark, Estonia, Ireland, Mali, South Africa, Belgium, Malaysia, Poland, Uganda and Thailand; the United Nations Human Settlements Programme, the Food and Agriculture Organization, the International Labour Organization, the United Nations Environment Programme, the International Maritime Organization, the United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia; the major groups for children and youth, indigenous peoples, non-governmental organizations, women, business and industry; and the other stakeholders groups on education and academia and financing for development civil society.

Organization of work

The Vice-President of the Council (Saint Vincent and the Grenadines) made a statement.

Friday, 13 July 2018

Security Council

 [archived video]

8309th meeting

The situation in the Central African Republic

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The Security Council began its consideration of the item and adopted a statement by the President on behalf of the Council (S/PRST/2018/14).

8310th meeting

Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution contained in document S/2018/691, submitted by the United States of America.

Before the vote, statements were made by the representatives of the United States, Ethiopia and Equatorial Guinea.

The Council proceeded to vote on the draft resolution (S/2018/691) before it.

Decision: The draft resolution (S/2018/691) received 9 votes in favour, none against and 6 abstentions (Bolivia (Plurinational State of), China, Equatorial Guinea, Ethiopia, Kazakhstan and the Russian Federation) and was adopted as resolution 2428 (2018).

After the vote, statements were made by the representatives of France, Poland, the Netherlands, China, the Plurinational State of Bolivia, the Russian Federation, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, the United Kingdom and Sweden.

The Council heard a statement by the representative of South Sudan.

8311th meeting

Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representative of the Sudan to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution contained in document S/2018/693, submitted by the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

The Council proceeded to vote on the draft resolution (S/2018/693) before it.

Decision: The draft resolution (S/2018/693) received 15 votes in favour, none against and no abstentions, and was adopted unanimously as resolution 2429 (2018).

The Council heard a statement by the representative of the Sudan.

General Assembly

Seventy-second session

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106th plenary meeting

Organization of work, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items; Election of a member of the Human Rights Council: letter from Luxembourg (A/72/924) - Items 7 and 114 (d)

The General Assembly decided to reopen consideration of sub-item (d) of agenda item 114 (decision 72/504 B).

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of sub-item (d) of agenda item 114.

On the first round of balloting, having obtained the required majority, Iceland (172 votes) was elected a member of the Human Rights Council for a term of office beginning on 13 July 2018 and ending on 31 December 2019.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of sub-item (d) of agenda item 114.

Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/72/449/Add.1) - Item 55

Under rule 66 of the rules of procedure, the General Assembly decided not to discuss the reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) which were before the Assembly.

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 6 of its report (resolution 72/304).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 55.

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 [archived video]

13th meeting

Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies: Review of Sustainable Development Goals 6, 7, 11, 12, 15 and 17 - Item 2 (a)

The Vice-President of the Council (South Africa) opened the meeting and made a statement.

Discussion on "SDG 15 – Protect, restore and promote sustainable use of terrestrial ecosystems, sustainably manage forests, combat desertification, and halt and reverse land degradation and halt biodiversity loss"

Statements were made by representative of the Statistics Division of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs, and by Mr. Simon Levin, the James S. McDonnell Distinguished University Professor in Ecology Evolutionary Biology, Princeton University, who delivered a keynote address.

The discussion was moderated by Mr. Rene Castro, Assistant Director General of Climate, Biodiversity, Land and Water Department, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, who also made a statement.

The forum heard statements by the following panellists: Ms. Anne Larigauderie, Executive Secretary of the Intergovernmental Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services; Ms. Cécile Bibiane Ndjebet, Director of the African Women's Network for Community Management of Forests, Cameroon; Mr. Roy Brouwer, Professor and Environmental Economist, Department of Economics, University of Waterloo, Canada; Ms. Martha Rojas-Urrego, Secretary-General, Ramsar Convention; as well as by the following lead discussants: Ms. Gertrude Kabusimbi Kenyangi, Executive Director of the Support for Women in Agriculture and Environment, Uganda; Ms. Jill Blockhus, Director of International Partnerships at The Nature Conservancy; and Mr. Chiagozie Chima Udeh, Executive Board Member of the Plant for the Planet Foundation, Nigeria.

An interactive discussion ensued during which the panellists responded to comments made and questions posed by the representatives of Norway, Malaysia, Australia, Israel, Germany, Finland, the Czech Republic, France, Mexico, Italy, Romania, Switzerland, the European Union, the Philippines, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Sweden, the Russian Federation, Jamaica, Indonesia, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Benin; Turkey, the Republic of Korea, Senegal, Togo, Kenya, Estonia, Oman, Morocco, China, the State of Palestine, South Africa; the observer for the International Union for Conservation of Nature; the representatives of the International Atomic Energy Agency, the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, the International Fund for Agricultural Development; the United Nations System Standing Committee on Nutrition, the United Nations Convention on Biological Diversity, and the United Nations Environment Programme; as well as by the major groups for farmers and women; and the other stakeholders group of volunteers.

Organization of work

The Vice-President of the Council (South Africa) made a statement.

14th and 15th meeting

The summaries of the 14th and 15th meetings of the High-level political forum on sustainable development convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council will appear in the next issue of the Journal (No. 2018/136).

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Group of 77 (on Third Committee and related matters)

09:00 to 11:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room E
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room E

Arab Group (at the ambassadorial level)

15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room A
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Event on the occasion of the "World Youth Skills Day 2018" (15 July) (A/RES/69/145), entitled "Youth Skills for Sustainability and Innovation" (co-organized by the Office of the Secretary-General Special Envoy on Youth, the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO), the International Labour Organization (ILO), the Permanent Missions of Portugal and Sri Lanka)

15:00 to 18:00	 [webcast]	Conference Room 1
Contact: Ms. Lily Gray (l.gray@unesco.org)		

Panel discussion: Twenty years of the Rome Statute system and a look ahead to the future of the International Criminal Court (A/RES/71/253) (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein and the Wayamo Foundation)

15:00 to 16:30

Conference Room 5

Contact: Mr. Sina Alavi (sa@nyc.llv.li).

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

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Informal exchange on sixth round of formal consultations on the Global Compact on Refugees (A/RES/71/1) (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Afghanistan and the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR))

Tuesday, 17 July 2018

10:00 to 13:00

Conference Room 3

Link: Website

Contact: Mr. Davide Torzilli (torzilli@unhcr.org), or Mr. Aidan Nguyen (nguyena@unhcr.org)

Panel discussion on "Twentieth anniversary of the Rome Statute: the need for universality and the International Criminal Court's jurisdiction over the crime of aggression" (at the ministerial level) (A/RES/71/253) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Argentina, Austria, Belgium, Costa Rica, Cyprus, the Gambia, Liechtenstein, the Netherlands, the Republic of Korea, Senegal, Slovakia, Slovenia, the State of Palestine, Switzerland and Uruguay, the Coalition for the ICC and Parliamentarians for Global Action)

Tuesday, 17 July 2018

10:00 to 13:00

Conference Room 2

Contact: Mr. Sina Alavi (sa@nyc.llv.li).

United Nations Office of Counter-Terrorism (UNOCT), Quarterly Briefing to Member States, followed by Briefing on the Sixteenth Meeting of the Advisory Board of the United Nations Counter-Terrorism Centre (UNCCT) (A/RES/72/284)

Tuesday, 17 July 2018

15:00 to 18:00

Closed meeting

Conference Room 2

Briefing on organizational matters for the Intergovernmental Conference to Adopt the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration in Marrakesh, Morocco, on 10-11 December 2018 (A/RES/72/244) (organized by the Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for International Migration)

Thursday, 19 July 2018

09:00 to 11:00

Conference Room 11

Link: [More Info](#)

Contact: Ms. Nicole Mun Sim Lai (laim@un.org; 212-963-0173)

Event entitled "Measuring Progress Towards Target 8.7" (A/RES/70/1) (organized by the United Nations University)

Thursday, 19 July 2018

10:00 to 13:00

Conference Room 5

15:00 to 18:00

Conference Room 5

Contact: Ms. Alexandra Cerquone (cerquone@unu.edu)

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General Assembly Seventy-second session

15:00 Informal meeting Conference Room 3

With non-governmental organizations with Economic and Social Council consultative status with relevant expertise to hear views on the draft political declaration for adoption at the opening of the plenary meeting of the Nelson Mandela Peace Summit, as part of the preparatory process

16:00 Informal informal consultations Conference Room 3

On a political declaration for adoption at the opening of the plenary meeting of the Nelson Mandela Peace Summit

Security Council

10:00 Consultations of the whole (closed) Consultations Room

UNFICYP

Other matters

Documents: S/2018/610 and S/2018/676

15:00 8313th meeting Security Council Chamber
[webcast]

Adoption of the agenda

Peace consolidation in West Africa

Document: S/2018/649

Followed by Consultations of the whole (closed) Consultations Room

UNOWAS

Other matters

Document: S/2018/649

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General Assembly

Seventy-second session

Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the Work of the General Assembly

15:00 to 18:00

Informal informal consultations (closed)

Conference Room 8

Economic and Social Council

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09:00 to 11:30
(in parallel)

19th meeting [webcast]

Conference Room 4

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Voluntary national reviews

Panel presentations

Albania

Latvia

Niger

Sudan

Interactive discussion

10:00 to 13:00
(in parallel)

19th meeting  [webcast]

Trusteeship Council Chamber

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Voluntary national reviews

Individual presentations

Panel presentations

Togo

Bhutan

Interactive discussion

Individual presentations

Uruguay

Interactive discussion

Sri Lanka

Interactive discussion

Switzerland

Interactive discussion

Australia

Interactive discussion

11:30 to 14:00

20th meeting  [webcast]

Conference Room 4

Ministerial meeting of the high-level political forum on sustainable development,
convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council – Item 5 (a)

Voluntary national reviews

Individual presentations

Armenia

Interactive discussion

Ireland

Interactive discussion

Namibia

Interactive discussion

Jamaica

Interactive discussion

State of Palestine

Interactive discussion

15:30 to 18:30
(in parallel)

21st meeting [webcast]

Conference Room 4

Ministerial meeting of the high-level political forum on sustainable development, convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council – Item 5 (a)

Voluntary national reviews

Individual presentations

Andorra

Interactive discussion

Canada

Interactive discussion

Dominican Republic

Interactive discussion

Egypt

Interactive discussion

Lao People's Democratic Republic

Interactive discussion

Senegal

Interactive discussion

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15:00 to 18:00
(in parallel)

46th meeting [webcast]

Trusteeship Council Chamber

High-level segment - Item 5

Ministerial meeting of the high-level political forum on sustainable development, convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council - Item 5 (a)

General debate

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The list of speakers will be maintained in accordance with the level of representation and on a first-come, first-served basis.

Statements in the general debate should not exceed *four minutes* when speaking in a national capacity, and *six minutes* when speaking on behalf of a group.

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15:00 to 18:00

Informal consultations (closed)

Conference Room C

Geospatial information - Item 18 (i)

Convened by the Vice-President of the Economic and Social Council (Saint Vincent and the Grenadines)

On the draft rules of procedure of the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names

Link: e-deleGATE Portal

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Seventy-second session

Wednesday, 18 July 2018

10:00

Informal consultations (closed)

Conference Room 5

Friday, 20 July 2018

10:00

Informal consultations (closed)

Conference Room 5

15:00

Informal consultations (closed)

Conference Room 5

On the draft of the political declaration in preparation for a comprehensive review of the progress achieved in the prevention and control of non-communicable diseases

Wednesday, 18 July 2018

11:00

Informal meeting [webcast]

Economic and Social Council Chamber

On the observance of the annual Nelson Mandela International Day

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Open-ended Working Group on Ageing

Ninth working session

Monday, 23 July 2018

10:00 to 13:00

Open meeting

Conference Room 4

15:00 to 18:00

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Conference Room 4

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Document: A/AC.278/2018/1 (to be issued).

Links: e-deleGATE Portal

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Website

<https://social.un.org/ageing-working-group/ninthsession.shtml>

Contact: Mr. Gerard Cianciulli (Inscription with the list of speakers) (cianciulli@un.org).

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf

Forty-seventh session

Monday, 6 August 2018

10:00

Closed meeting

Conference Room 6

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General Assembly**Security Council**

Peacebuilding Commission
Twelfth session

Wednesday, 18 August 2018

10:00 to 13:00

Conference Room 3

Organizational Committee

Security Council

**Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001)
concerning counter-terrorism**

Wednesday, 18 July 2018

15:00 to 18:00

334th informal meeting (closed)

Conference Room 7

Adoption of the agenda

Briefing by Mr. Vladimir Voronkov, Under-Secretary-General of the United Nations Counter-Terrorism Office pursuant to paragraph 19 of resolution 2395 (2017)

Overview of the follow-up visit of the Counter-Terrorism Committee to:

Niger

Burkina Faso

Briefing on the Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate report pursuant to paragraph 17 of resolution 2395 (2017)

Other matters

**Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 751 (1992) and 1907 (2009)
concerning Somalia and Eritrea**

Friday, 20 July 2018

11:30 to 13:00

Closed meeting

Conference Room 7

Briefing by the Special Representative for Somalia and Head of the United Nations Assistance Mission in Somalia

Other matters

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Friday, 13 July 2018

Economic and Social Council

2018 session

High-level political forum on sustainable development convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council

 [archived video]

14th and 15th meeting

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Monday, 16 July 2018

Security Council

 [archived video]

8312th meeting

The situation in Libya

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representative of Libya to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited Mr. Ghassan Salamé, Special representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Support Mission in Libya, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard briefings by Mr. Salamé (via video-teleconference from Tripoli) and by His Excellency Carl Skau, representative of the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1970 (2011) concerning Libya.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Plurinational State of Bolivia and Kazakhstan.

The Council heard a statement by the representative of Libya.

Economic and Social Council

2018 session

44th and 45th plenary meetings

The summaries of the 44th and 45th plenary meetings of the Economic and Social Council will appear in the next issue of the Journal (No. 2018/137).

**High-level political forum on sustainable development
convened under the auspices of the Economic
and Social Council**

 [archived video]

16th and 17th meeting

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Other meetings

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Tuesday, 17 July 2018

African Group

10:00 to 13:00

Closed meeting

Conference Room 12

**Informal exchange on sixth round of formal consultations on the Global Compact on Refugees (A/RES/71/1)
(co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Afghanistan and the Office of the United Nations High
Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR))**

10:00 to 13:00

Conference Room 3

Link: Website

Contacts: Mr. Davide Torzilli (torzilli@unhcr.org), or Mr. Aidan Nguyen (nguyena@unhcr.org)

Panel discussion on "Twentieth anniversary of the Rome Statute: the need for universality and the International Criminal Court's jurisdiction over the crime of aggression" (at the ministerial level) (A/RES/71/253) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Argentina, Austria, Belgium, Costa Rica, Cyprus, the Gambia, Liechtenstein, the Netherlands, the Republic of Korea, Senegal, Slovakia, Slovenia, the State of Palestine, Switzerland and Uruguay, the Coalition for the ICC and Parliamentarians for Global Action)

10:00 to 13:00

Conference Room 2

Contact: Mr. Sina Alavi (sa@nyc.llv.li).

Group of 77 (on health-related matters)

15:00 to 18:00

Closed meeting

Conference Room 5

United Nations Office of Counter-Terrorism (UNOCT), Quarterly Briefing to Member States, followed by Briefing on the Sixteenth Meeting of the Advisory Board of the United Nations Counter-Terrorism Centre (UNCCT) (A/RES/72/284)

15:00 to 18:00

Closed meeting

Conference Room 2

Press conferences

Press Briefing Room (S-0237)  [webcast]

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Forthcoming other meetings

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Briefing on organizational matters for the Intergovernmental Conference to Adopt the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration in Marrakesh, Morocco, on 10-11 December 2018 (A/RES/72/244) (organized by the Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for International Migration)

Thursday, 19 July 2018

09:00 to 11:00

Conference Room 11

Link: More Info

Contact: Ms. Nicole Mun Sim Lai (laim@un.org; 212-963-0173)

Event entitled "Measuring Progress Towards Target 8.7" (A/RES/70/1) (organized by the United Nations University)

Thursday, 19 July 2018

10:00 to 13:00

Conference Room 5

15:00 to 18:00

Conference Room 5

Contact: Ms. Alexandra Cerquone (cerquone@unu.edu)

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General Assembly

Seventy-second session

10:00

Informal consultations
(closed)Conference
Room 5

On the draft of the political declaration in preparation for a comprehensive review of the progress achieved in the prevention and control of non-communicable diseases

11:00

Informal meeting
[webcast]Economic
and Social
Council
Chamber

On the observance of the annual Nelson Mandela International Day

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Security Council

15:30

8314th meeting
[webcast]Security
Council
Chamber

Adoption of the agenda

Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and subregional organizations in maintaining international peace and security

African Union

Document: S/2018/678

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General Assembly

Seventy-second session

Independent Audit Advisory Committee

Forty-third session

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 9
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 9

**General Assembly
Security Council****Peacebuilding Commission**

10:00 to 13:00	 [webcast]	Conference Room 3
	Organizational Committee	

Security Council**Security Council Informal Working Group on Documentation and Other Procedural Questions**

10:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 7
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Economic and Social Council

2018 session

**High-level political forum on sustainable development
convened under the auspices of
the Economic and Social Council**

09:00 to 11:30

22nd meeting  [webcast]

Conference Room 4

Ministerial meeting of the high-level political forum on sustainable development,
convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council - Item 5 (a)

Voluntary national reviews**Individual presentations**

Lebanon

Interactive discussion

Romania

Interactive discussion

Bahamas

Interactive discussion

Hungary

Interactive discussion

Malta

Interactive discussion

Documents: A/73/81-E/2018/59, A/73/86-E/2018/68, E/2018/51, E/2018/60, E/2018/61,
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E/HLPF/2018/2/Add.1, E/HLPF/2018/2/Add.2, E/HLPF/2018/2/Add.3,
E/HLPF/2018/2/Add.4, E/HLPF/2018/2/Add.5, E/HLPF/2018/3, E/HLPF/2018/4,
E/HLPF/2018/5 and E/HLPF/2018/6

11:30 to 14:00

23rd meeting  [webcast]

Conference Room 4

Ministerial meeting of the high-level political forum on sustainable development,
convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council - Item 5 (a)

Voluntary national reviews**Individual presentations**

Poland

Interactive discussion

Singapore

Interactive discussion

Spain

Interactive discussion

Saudi Arabia

Interactive discussion

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15:00 to 16:45
(in parallel)

24th meeting  [webcast]

Conference Room 4

Ministerial meeting of the high-level political forum on sustainable development, convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council - Item 5 (a)

Voluntary national reviews

Individual presentations

Paraguay

Interactive discussion

Qatar

Interactive discussion

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17:00 to 18:30

24th meeting  [webcast]

Trusteeship Council Chamber

Ministerial meeting of the high-level political forum on sustainable development, convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council - Item 5 (a) (continued)

Keynote address by the Secretary-General of the United Nations

Adoption of the ministerial declaration

Adoption of the draft report

Conclusion of the High-level political forum on sustainable development

Closing statement by the President of the Economic and Social Council (Czech Republic)

Open to all Member States of the United Nations and States members of specialized agencies, as well as the major groups and other relevant stakeholders.

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– Ms. Cassandra Price-Taveras (List of participants) pricec@un.org

15:30 to 18:30
(in parallel)

47th plenary meeting [webcast]

Trusteeship Council Chamber

High-level segment - Item 5

Ministerial meeting of the high-level political forum on sustainable development,
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General debate

Please see link

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The list of speakers will be maintained in accordance with the level of representation
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Statements in the general debate should not exceed *four minutes* when speaking in a
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Economic and Social Council

2018 session

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 [archived video]

14th meeting

The Vice-President of the Council (Tajikistan), opened the meeting and made a statement.

Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies: Review of Sustainable Development Goals 6, 7, 11, 12, 15 and 17 - Item 2 (a)

The forum resumed its consideration of the item.

Discussion on SDG 17 "Strengthen the means of implementation and revitalize the global partnership for sustainable development"

Presentations were made by a representative of the Statistics Division of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs, and by His Excellency Courtenay Rattray, Permanent Representative of Jamaica to the United Nations and co-facilitator for the outcome of the 2018 ECOSOC forum on financing for development follow-up.

The discussion was moderated by Ms. Gillian Tett, U.S. Managing Editor, *Financial Times*, who made a statement.

The forum heard presentations by the following panellists: His Excellency Masud Bin Momen, Permanent Representative of Bangladesh to the United Nations; Mr. Robin Ogilvy, Special Representative of the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development to the United Nations; Mr. Alfred Watkins, Chair of the Global Solutions Summit, who also moderated part of the interactive discussion; and Mr. Steven Waygood, Chief Responsible Investment Officer at Aviva Investors; as well as by the following lead discussant: Mr. Kavaljit Singh, Director of Madhyam (New Delhi), of the financing for development civil society group.

An interactive discussion ensued, during which the panellists responded to comments made and questions posed by the representatives of France, Belarus, Finland, Ghana, Viet Nam, the Dominican Republic, Turkey, Thailand, Sweden, Morocco, Norway, South Africa, the European Union and Australia; as well as by the representative of the World Intellectual Property Organization, the major group for indigenous peoples; and the other stakeholder groups on Ageing and the Asia Pacific Regional CSO Engagement Mechanism.

Organization of work

The Vice-President of the Council (Tajikistan) made a statement.

15th meeting

The President of the Council (Czech Republic), opened the meeting and made a statement.

Discussion on "Leaving No One Behind: are we succeeding?"

The Forum heard an address by Mr. Andrew Gilmour, Assistant Secretary-General for Human Rights of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights.

The discussion was moderated by Mr. Manish Bapna, Executive Vice President and Managing Director of the World Resources Institute, who made a statement.

The forum heard presentations by the following rapporteurs: Mr. Douglas Keh, Deputy Director of the Bureau for Policy and Programme Support, United Nations Development Programme; Mr. Mahi Amadou Deme, Director of the Ministry of Economy and Finance of Senegal; Ms. Riitta Oksanen, Deputy Director General at the Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Finland; and Ms. Alicia Bárcena, Executive-Secretary of the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean; as well as by the following lead discussants: Ms. Sakiko Fukuda-Parr, Vice-Chair of the United Nations Committee on Development Policy and Professor of International Affairs at The New School; Ms. Victoria Tauli Corpuz, UN Special Rapporteur on the rights of indigenous peoples; Ms. Sophie Howe, the Future Generations Commissioner for Wales; and Ms. Sylvia Beales, Strategic Adviser at Gray Panthers, and stakeholder group on ageing.

An interactive discussion ensued, during which the panellists responded to comments made and questions posed by the representatives of Chile, Belgium, Mauritania, Switzerland, Estonia, Sierra Leone; as well as the Secretary-General's Special Envoy on Disabilities; the major groups for business and industry and women; and the other stakeholders groups on Together 2030; Education and Academia; and Persons with Disabilities.

Conclusion

The Under-Secretary-General for Economic and Social Affairs made a statement.

The President of the Council made concluding remarks on the first week of the high-level political forum.

Monday, 16 July 2018

Economic and Social Council

2018 session

44th plenary meeting *High-level segment - Item 5*

The President of the Economic and Social Council (Czech Republic) opened the segment and the ministerial meeting of the high-level political forum on sustainable development convened under the auspices of the Council and made a statement.

The President of the seventy-second session of the General Assembly made a statement.

The Deputy Secretary-General of the United Nations also made a statement.

The Secretary-General's Envoy on Youth made a statement.

A keynote address was delivered by Ms. Michelle Yeoh, United Nations Development Programme Goodwill Ambassador and actress.

45th plenary meeting *High-level segment - Item 5*

The Vice-President of the Council (South Africa) opened the meeting.

The Assistant Secretary-General for Economic Development introduced the report of the Secretary-General on "Harnessing new technologies to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals", as contained in document E/2018/66.

The Chair of the Committee for Development Policy (CDP) introduced the report of the Committee for Development Policy on its twentieth session, as contained in document E/2018/33.

Ministerial meeting of the high-level political forum on sustainable development, convened under the auspices of the Council - Item 5 (a)

General debate

The Council held a general debate on the theme "Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies". Statements were made by His Excellency Thomas Esang Remengesau, Jr., President of the Republic of Palau (on behalf of the Pacific Small Islands Developing States); Her Excellency Alicia Beatriz Pucheta de Correa, Vice-President of the Republic of Paraguay (on behalf of Landlocked Developing Countries); Her Excellency Sahar Nasr, Minister of International Cooperation and Investment of Egypt (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China); His Excellency Karmenu Vella, Commissioner for the Environment, Fisheries and Maritime Affairs of the European Union; His Excellency AHM Mustafa Kamal, Minister for Planning of Bangladesh (on behalf of Least Developed Countries); Her Excellency Camille Robinson-Regis, Minister of Planning and Development of Trinidad and Tobago (on behalf of the Caribbean Community); Mr. Julius Muia, Principal Secretary of National Treasury and Planning of Kenya (on behalf of the African Group); His Excellency Rubén Escalante, Permanent Representative of El Salvador to the United Nations (on behalf of the Community of Latin American and Caribbean States); His Excellency Ali Naseer, Permanent Representative of Maldives to the United Nations (on behalf of the Alliance of Small Island States); His Excellency Miguel Ángel Moir Sandoval, Secretary of Planning and Programming of Guatemala (on behalf of the 'Like-Minded Group of Countries in Support of Middle-Income Countries'); His Excellency Miguel Ruiz-Cabañas, Vice-Minister of Multilateral Affairs and Human Rights of Mexico (on behalf of the 'United Nations Core Group LGBTI'), His Excellency Dian Triansyah Djani, Permanent Representative of Indonesia (also on behalf of Mexico, the Republic of Korea, Turkey and Australia); His Excellency Christian Braun, Permanent Representative of Luxembourg to the United Nations (on behalf of the 'Group of Friends on Children and Sustainable Development Goals'); His Excellency Francisco Tenya, Deputy Permanent Representative of Peru (on behalf of the 'Group of Friends of Disaster Risk Reduction'); Her Excellency Senida Mesi, Deputy Prime Minister of Albania; Her Excellency Grațiela-Leocadia Gavrilescu, Vice-Prime Minister and Minister of Environment of Romania; His Excellency Enkh-tuvshin Ulziisaikhan, Deputy Prime Minister of Mongolia; His Excellency José Augusto Briones, National Secretary of Planning and Development of Ecuador; His Excellency Jean-Yves Duclos, Minister of Families, Children and Social Development of Canada; Her Excellency Doris Leuthard, Federal Councillor of the Swiss Confederation and Head of the Federal Department of the Environment, Transport, Energy and Communications of Switzerland; and Her Excellency Aurelia Frick, Minister of Foreign Affairs, Justice and Culture of Liechtenstein.

High-level political forum on sustainable development convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council

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16th meeting

Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies: Voluntary National Reviews - Item 2 (c)

The forum began its consideration of the sub-item.

Voluntary national reviews 1 – Ecuador, Kiribati, Lithuania, and Mali

The President of the Council (Czech Republic) opened the meeting.

Voluntary national presentations were made on behalf of Ecuador by His Excellency José Augusto Briones, National Secretary of Planning and Development; on behalf of Kiribati by the Honourable Teuea Toatu, Minister for Finance and Economic Development and Mr. Martin Tofinga, representative of non-state actors; on behalf of Lithuania by His Excellency Kęstutis Navickas, Minister of Environment; and on behalf of Mali by His Excellency Mahamane Maiga, Permanent Secretary-General of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, His Excellency Modibo Traore, Ambassador and Director of Multilateral Cooperation Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, and Mr. Drissa Doumbia, Head of Department, Agency for the Environment and Sustainable Development.

A statement was made by the lead discussant, His Excellency Kimmo Tiilikainen, Minister of the Environment, Climate, Energy and Housing and Vice-chair of the National Sustainable Development Commission of Finland.

In the ensuing discussion, the presenters responded to comments made and questions posed by the representatives of Austria, Ireland, Norway, Australia, Burkina Faso, Morocco, as well as by the representatives of the major group for workers and trade unions; and the other stakeholder group for Sendai Stakeholders.

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The forum viewed a film "Made in Forests", which was introduced by Ms. Michelle Yeoh, United Nations Development Programme Goodwill Ambassador and actress.

Organization of work

The Vice-President of the Council (Belgium) made a statement.

17th meeting

Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies: Voluntary national reviews - Item 2 (c)

The forum continued its consideration of the sub-item.

National voluntary national reviews 2: Guinea, Greece, Mexico and the United Arab Emirates

The Vice-President of the Council (Belgium), opened the meeting and made a statement.

A voluntary national presentation was made by Her Excellency Kanny Diallo, Minister of Planning and Economic Development of Guinea.

In the ensuing discussion, the presenter responded to the comment made and question posed by the representative of the other stakeholder group for volunteers.

A voluntary national presentation was made by His Excellency Socrates Famellos, Associate Minister of Environment and Energy of Greece and Ms. Aikaterini Inglezi, Member of Parliament of Greece and President of the Special Permanent Committee on Environmental Protection.

In the ensuing discussion, the presenter responded to comments made and questions posed by the representatives of Armenia, Lebanon, Slovenia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Jordan, as well as by the representative of the other stakeholders group for persons with disabilities.

A voluntary national presentation was made by His Excellency Francisco Guzmán Ortiz, Minister and Chief of Staff of the Office of the President of Mexico.

In the ensuing discussion, the presenter responded to comments made and questions posed by the representatives of Canada, Egypt, Norway, Australia, Germany, Colombia, as well as by the representatives of the major groups for women and indigenous peoples.

A voluntary national presentation was made by His Excellency Abdulla Lootah, Vice-Chair of the National Committee on Sustainable Development Goals and Director-General of the Federal Competitiveness and Statistics Authority of the United Arab Emirates.

In the ensuing discussion, the presenter responded to comments made and questions posed by the representatives of Egypt, Bahrain, Slovakia, as well as by the representative of the major group of non-governmental organizations.

18th meeting

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The forum continued its consideration of the sub-item.

Voluntary national reviews 3 – Benin and Cabo Verde

The President of the Council (Czech Republic) opened the meeting.

Voluntary national presentations were made on behalf of Benin by His Excellency Abdoulaye Bio Tchane, Senior Minister in charge of Planning and Development; and on behalf of Cabo Verde by His Excellency José da Silva Gonçalves, Minister for Tourism and Transports, and Minister for Maritime Economy.

A statement was made by the lead discussant, Ms. Jiko Luveni, Speaker of the Parliament of Fiji.

In the ensuing discussion, the presenters responded to comments made and questions posed by the representative of Norway; as well as by the representative of the FFD Civil Society Group.

Voluntary national reviews 4 – Slovakia, Bahrain, Colombia and Viet Nam

A voluntary national presentation was made by His Excellency Richard Raši, Deputy Prime Minister for Investments and Informatization of Slovakia, Mr. Daniel Bunda, Student and Event Manager at Eduma, Mrs. Ivana Maleš, Founder of the Institute for Circular Economy and Mr. Vladimír Krčmery, Rector of the St. Elizabeth University of Health Care and Social Work of Slovakia.

In the ensuing discussion, the presenter responded to comments made and questions posed by the representatives of Greece, Kenya, Indonesia, Singapore; as well as by the representative of the major group for non-governmental organizations.

A voluntary national presentation was made by His Excellency Mohammed Bin Ibrahim Al Mutawa, Minister of Cabinet Affairs and Head of the National Information Committee of Bahrain.

In the ensuing discussion, the presenter responded to a comment made and question posed by the representative of the major groups for non-governmental organizations.

A voluntary national presentation was made by His Excellency Luis Fernando Mejía Alzate, Minister of National Planning of Colombia.

In the ensuing discussion, the presenter responded to comments made and questions posed by the representatives of Germany, Denmark, Singapore, Norway; as well as by the representative of the major groups for indigenous peoples.

A voluntary national presentation was made by Mr. Nguyen The Phuong, Vice Minister of Planning and Investment of Viet Nam.

In the ensuing discussion, the presenter responded to comments made and questions posed by the representatives of the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Singapore, Australia; as well as by the representative of the major groups for non-governmental organizations.

Organization of work

The President of the Council made a statement.

18th meeting
(in parallel)

High-level political forum on sustainable development - Item 2

The Vice-President of the Council (South Africa) opened the meeting.

The high-level political forum heard presentation on the outcomes of the regional forums on sustainable development, convened by the regional commissions. Statements were made by His Excellency Ghassan Hasbani, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Public Health of Lebanon (Arab regional forum); His Excellency Rodrigo Malmierca Diaz, Minister of Foreign Trade and Foreign Investment of Cuba (Latin America and the Caribbean regional forum); His Excellency Levan Davitashvili, Minister of Environment Protection and Agriculture of Georgia (Asia-Pacific regional forum); His Excellency Mame Thierno Dieng, Minister of Environment and Sustainable Development of Senegal (Africa regional forum); and His Excellency Michael Gerber, Ambassador and Special Envoy for Global Sustainable Development of Switzerland (United Nations Economic Commission for Europe regional forum).

The President of the United Nations Environment Assembly addressed the Forum.

Tuesday, 17 July 2018

Security Council

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8313rd meeting

Peace consolidation in West Africa

Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the United Nations Office for West Africa and the Sahel (S/2018/649)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited Mr. Mohammed Ibn Chambas, Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Office for West Africa and the Sahel, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Security Council began its consideration of the item and heard a briefing by Mr. Chambas.

Statements were made by the representatives of Côte d'Ivoire, Peru, the Plurinational State of Bolivia, Equatorial Guinea, Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, and the Netherlands.

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46th plenary meeting

The summary of the 46th plenary meeting of the Economic and Social Council will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 2018/138).

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19th meeting
(in parallel)

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The forum continued its consideration of the sub-item.

Voluntary national reviews 5 – Albania, Latvia, the Niger, and the Sudan

The Vice-President of the Council (Tajikistan) opened the meeting.

Voluntary national presentations were made on behalf of Albania by Her Excellency Senida Mesi, Deputy Prime Minister; on behalf of Latvia by His Excellency Arvils Asaradens, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Economics and Ms. Inese Vaivare, Director of the Latvian Platform for Development Cooperation; on behalf of the Niger by Her Excellency Aichatou Boulama Kané, Minister for Planning and Ms. Kamil Halimatour Garba, Director of Statistics and Demographic and Social Research; on behalf of the Sudan by His Excellency Gamal Mahmoud Alrayah, Minister of Urban Planning of Khartoum state, Dr. Limia Abdelgafar Khalfalla, Secretary General of the National Population Council, SDGs Focal point, Mr. Nasreldin Ibrahim Shulgami, Civil Society Representative and Mr. Ahmed Magzoub Ahmed Ali, Committee member of Financial, Economic and Investment Affairs in the National Assembly.

A statement was made by the lead discussant, His Excellency László Borbély, Counsellor of State and Head of the Department for Sustainable Development of Romania.

In the ensuing discussion, the presenters responded to comments made and questions posed by the representatives of Norway, Sweden, Jamaica, Estonia, Mali and Serbia, as well as by the representatives of the major groups for women and for non-governmental organizations; and the other stakeholder group for persons with disabilities.

19th meeting
(in parallel)

Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies: Voluntary National Reviews Item 2 (c)

The forum continued its consideration of the sub-item.

The Vice-President of the Council (Belgium) opened the meeting and made a statement.

Voluntary national reviews 7 – Togo and Bhutan

Voluntary national presentations were made on behalf of Togo by His Excellency Komi Sélom Klassou, Prime Minister of the Togolese Republic; and on behalf of Bhutan by His Excellency Lyonpo Namgay Dorji, Minister of Finance, and Mr. Thinley Namgyel, Secretary of the Gross National Happiness Commission.

A statement was made by the lead discussant, His Excellency Miguel Angel Moir, Secretary of Planning and Programming of the Presidency of Guatemala.

In the ensuing discussion, the presenters responded to comments made and questions posed by the representatives of India, Singapore, Thailand, and Nepal, as well as by the representatives of the major groups for women and non-governmental organizations.

Voluntary national reviews 8 – Uruguay, Sri Lanka, Switzerland, and Australia

A voluntary national presentation was made by His Excellency Álvaro García, Director of the Office of Planning and Budgeting of Uruguay.

In the ensuing discussion, the presenter responded to the comments made and questions posed by the representatives Brazil, Argentina, and Germany, as well as by the representative of the major group for workers and trade unions.

A voluntary national presentation was made by His Excellency Sandith Samarasinghe, Minister Delegate of the Minister of Sustainable Development, Wildlife and Regional Development of Sri Lanka.

In the ensuing discussion, the presenter responded to comments made and questions posed by the representatives of Australia and Nepal.

A voluntary national presentation was made by Her Excellency Doris Leuthard, Minister of the Environment, Transport, Energy and Communications of Switzerland and Ms. Sophie Neuhaus, National Youth Council of Switzerland.

In the ensuing discussion, the presenter responded to comments made and questions posed by the representative of Germany, as well as by the representatives of the major group for non-governmental organizations and the other stakeholders group for persons with disabilities.

A voluntary national presentation was made by Her Excellency Gillian Bird, Permanent Representative of Australia to the United Nations, Ms. Duane Fraser, Co-Chair, Global Indigenous Youth Caucus, and Mr. Darrell Wade, Co-Founder, Intrepid Travel Group.

In the ensuing discussion, the presenters responded to comments made and questions posed by the representatives of Canada, Indonesia, Mexico, Switzerland, as well as by the representative of the major group of non-governmental organizations.

Organization of work

The Vice-President of the Council (Belgium) made a statement.

20th and 21st meetings The summaries of the 20th and 21st meetings of the High-level political forum on sustainable development convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 2018/138).

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Wednesday, 18 July 2018

Non-Aligned Movement: Working Group on the Revitalization of the Work of the General Assembly

10:00 to 13:00

Informal meeting (closed)

Conference Room A

Press conferences

Press Briefing Room (S-0237)  [webcast]

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Forthcoming other meetings

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Briefing on organizational matters for the Intergovernmental Conference to Adopt the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration in Marrakesh, Morocco, on 10-11 December 2018 (A/RES/72/244) (organized by the Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for International Migration)

Thursday, 19 July 2018

09:00 to 11:00

Conference Room 11

Link: More Info

Contact: Ms. Nicole Mun Sim Lai (laim@un.org; 212-963-0173)

Expert Group Meeting on Integrated Approaches to Sustainable Development (A/RES/71/231) (co-organized by the United Nations Office for Sustainable Development and the United Nations Environment Programme)

Thursday, 19 July 2018

09:00 to 13:00

Conference Room 12

15:00 to 18:00

Conference Room 12

Contact: Ms. Hyun Sung (hyun.sung@un.org)

Event entitled "Measuring Progress Towards Target 8.7" (A/RES/70/1) (organized by the United Nations University)

Thursday, 19 July 2018

10:00 to 13:00

Conference Room 5

15:00 to 18:00

Conference Room 5

Contact: Ms. Alexandra Cerquone (cerquone@unu.edu)

Non-Aligned Movement: Working Group on the Revitalization of the Work of the General Assembly

Tuesday, 24 July 2018

10:00 to 13:00

Informal meeting (closed)

Conference Room A

Thursday, 26 July

10:00 to 13:00

Informal meeting (closed)

Conference Room D

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